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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed August 15, 2001. Kindly amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

In the Specification:

Please replace Figure 1 with that which is attached to the accompanying Letter to the Official Draftsman.

Please replace the first full paragraph on page 30 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--Alternatively, it is apparent from measurements of η_{INT} that an increased η_P can be achieved in a concentrator configuration where photons are forced to make multiple passes through the thin absorbing region. It should be appreciated regarding embodiment 1000 that

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